

LOGICAL RESULT OF PACT DEFEAT

Canadian-American Traffic Convention Quietly Sleeps.

SAFE IN BRITISH ARCHIVES

Proposed Treaty for Establishing Joint International Commission to Regulate Railroad and Other Public Utility Companies Doing Business in the United States and the Dominion Will Probably Remain Dormant Some Time.

Washington, Jan. 8.—A new and far-reaching effect of the rejection of reciprocity by Canada last fall was disclosed by the discovery that the defeat of that measure has resulted in the shelving by Great Britain of the proposed treaty with the United States establishing a joint international commission to regulate railroad and other public utility companies doing business in Canada and this country.

There is now no doubt that this important project is dead. At the British embassy it was admitted that it is "slumbering," with no signs now apparent of its repose being disturbed so far as England is concerned.

On equally good authority it was further learned that the triumph of the forces opposing reciprocity with the United States gave the death blow to the project so much desired by both the Taft and Laurier administrations. These anti-reciprocity forces were extremely active in England, as well as in Canada, and their victory at the Canadian polls has now resulted in the British government shelving the negotiations for the joint international commerce commission.

The imperialists in England, who are the brethren of the anti-reciprocity Canadians, argued that the creation of such a commission would encourage closer trade relations between the United States and Canada, to the exclusive benefit of this country.

Step Toward Alienating Canada.
The effect of the joint regulation would be, they said, to encourage north and south traffic to the detriment of east and west traffic through Canada alone. They professed to see in it another step toward the alienation of Canada from close relationship with the mother country, with expansion in the wrong direction.

There was no attempt to dispute the fact that the proposed joint regulation would be a practical solution of a practical problem confronting both countries. The imperialists, however, are reported as being willing to sacrifice this in order to maintain strict control of the destinies of Canada.

The defeat of reciprocity has been interpreted by Great Britain as an expression by Canada of her willingness to agree to this view. The British government, though possessing the power to make treaties affecting her colonies, has yielded and shelved the proposed treaty, which now lies in the British foreign office without hope of resurrection in the near future.

The United States can do nothing toward bringing the matter to life, as the treaty was offered to Great Britain by this government. In the absence of any response from the British government the state department can do nothing but wait. Present indications are that its waiting will be in vain until the policies represented by Sir Wilfrid Laurier again come in the ascendancy in Canada.

PERKINS RAPS REPUBLICANS

Says Party Abandoned Its Platform to Follow Democrats.

New York, Jan. 8.—An attack on the Republican party for its alleged failure to carry out the first plan of its own trust platform and for carrying out, instead, he claimed, the Democratic trust plank, "which American people repudiated," was a feature of an address by George W. Perkins, director of the United States Steel corporation and other big interests, at a luncheon at the Republican club. Mr. Perkins said that the party which stood for constructive legislation would have the support of the people next fall.

JOHNSON WILL FIGHT FLYNN

Great Ring Battle to Occur in Nevada Next July.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—After eighteen months of idleness Jack Johnson, champion heavyweight pugilist of the world, signed articles here to fight a finish battle with Jim Flynn, the Pueblo fireman, generally regarded as one of the best of the "white hopes." The fight will take place somewhere in Nevada next July. As a tentative date July 22 was selected, but this may be changed at any time.

For his services Johnson is to receive \$31,100 and one-third of the receipts from the sale of the moving picture rights. Flynn's share of the purse was not announced.

British Battleship Damaged.

Portsmouth, Eng., Jan. 8.—The battleship Revenge broke from her moorings here and, owing to the exceptionally high tide, drifted onto the bows of the superdreadnought Orion. A hole was stove in the starboard quarter of the Revenge, but the Orion apparently was not damaged.

CREATES FLURRY AT WASHINGTON

La Follette and Bryan Meet in Railway Station.

HOLD EARNEST CONFERENCE

While Both Gentlemen Assert Meeting Was Accidental, Their Trains Arriving Simultaneously, the Fact That They Shook Hands and Immediately Withdrew From Crowd to Enter Into an Earnest Discussion Starts Many Rumors.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Colonel William Jennings Bryan of Nebraska and Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin had a conference at the Union station upon their joint arrival in the city, the former from the South and the latter from the West. The meeting between the three time presidential candidate of the Democratic party and the progressive Republican, who is seeking to wrest the Republican nomination from President Taft, was said to be accidental.

No sooner was it known that the progressive leaders of the two parties had come together than tongues began to wag and third party talk flew thick and fast about the hotel corridors. It was not wholly confined to members of the Democratic national committee. Republicans, too, showed a lively interest.

The Democratic committeemen had been seeking methods of dealing with the several perplexing questions scheduled to come up at the meeting, but nearly every possible solution advanced seemed to depend upon the probable attitude of the Nebraska leader.

When the Nebraskan's train arrived many prominent Democratic leaders were at the station. After handshakings all around Mr. Bryan sighted Senator La Follette, or, to be exact, they seemed to sight each other at about the same time. They rushed toward each other and shook hands and then lost no time in withdrawing a short distance from the crowd. They sat down on a bench and conversed with evident earnestness for several minutes.

Some Consternation Apparent.

"What's being pulled off?" was the question the waiting Democrats seemed to be asking each other as they watched the two men. This interrogation in the vernacular of the street was not actually propounded, but that there was some consternation in the party was apparent.

When Mr. Bryan and the senator parted there was another show of good feeling. Mr. Bryan then explained that Senator La Follette and he had talked about the resolution pending in congress providing for the election of senators by popular vote. Senator La Follette gave the same explanation by telephone, but in the minds of some there remained a little skepticism.

It was reported also La Follette had gone to the station to meet Mr. Bryan. When telephoned about this report the senator said that the meeting was purely accidental, resulting from the fact that their trains happened to get in at the same hour.

Mr. Bryan would not discuss candidates, contests, presidential primaries or any of the matters pending before the national committee. He would not talk of the letter said to have been written by Woodrow Wilson a few years ago urging the party to rid itself of the Nebraskan.

W. F. McCombs, manager of the Woodrow Wilson headquarters, charged that the report of friction between Wilson and Bryan was inspired in Wall street and that other stories of the same character might be expected from that source. He did not deny the existence of the alleged Joline letter, however.

COUPLE TORTURED TO DEATH

Religious Maniac Believed to Be Brutal Murderer.

New York, Jan. 8.—A case of double murder found in an East Side house is one of the most shocking in details of any since the Goldensuppe dismemberment and the Jack the Ripper series of crimes. Isaac Futterman, eighty years old, and his wife, Rachael, seventy-two years old, were found dead in their rooms, their bodies terribly mutilated. The police believe that the victims were tortured to death and that the crime was the work of a religious maniac.

Futterman was a retired manufacturer, who had accumulated a small fortune, but always had refused to leave the East Side neighborhood where he settled when he came from Russia many years ago. The couple lived alone.

Troops Ready to Go to China.

Manila, Jan. 8.—The Fifteenth Infantry regiment, which is stationed at Fort McKinley, where it arrived on Dec. 5, is being held in readiness to proceed to China. It was brought up to war strength on its arrival in preparation for eventualities.

MRS. ROOSEVELT.

Wife of Former President
Has Been Ill Several Days.



MRS. ROOSEVELT SLIGHTLY ILL

Physicians Say Her Recovery in Few Days Is Expected.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, it was learned, has been ill for several days, but is recovering. Two months ago she was injured by a fall from her horse while riding with the colonel. Her present illness is said, however, not to be a result of it.

One of the attending physicians said Mrs. Roosevelt was more comfortable, that her condition was not now considered serious and that her recovery within a few days was looked for.

RICHESON MAY GET EXTREME PENALTY

Pastor Confesses Murdering His Former Sweetheart.

Boston, Jan. 8.—No court official cared to predict whether the death penalty would be imposed on Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson who confessed his guilt of the murder of his former sweetheart, Avis Linnell of Hyannis, in a document made public by his counsel. The confession declares that the accused is guilty "of the offense of which he is indicted," which is murder in the first degree.

The indictment against Richeson charged that he "feloniously, wilfully and of his malice aforethought," gave Miss Linnell cyanide of potassium with deadly intent and that because of her death he is guilty of murder in the first degree.

District Attorney Pelletier declared after the confession had been made public that the trial set for Jan. 15 would surely be called and that he would accept no compromise in the way of a plea to a lesser crime.

It was pointed out that, if the district attorney maintained this attitude, only an insanity commission or commutation by the executive council and the governor could save Richeson from the electric chair.

It lies, however, with the court and the district attorney to accept a minor plea, such modification usually coming through some weak link in the government's case.

ALASKA NEEDS OVERHAULING

Fisher Urges Leasing Principle on Public Domain.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Enlarged application of the leasing principle as applied to the public domain, especially a liberal leasing law for the development of the mineral resources of Alaska, particularly its coal lands, and immediate consideration by congress of the whole subject of water power development and control, are the most important recommendations contained in the annual report of Secretary of the Interior Fisher.

A general overhauling of conditions in Alaska is needed, the secretary says. He favors a law for the retirement of government employees, placing it on the ground of good business policy. He urges the creation of a bureau of national parks, each of them at present being "a separate and distinct unit for administrative purposes." There is also serious need, he declares, for the enlargement of the work of the bureau of mines.

WITH MERCURY 22 BELOW

Spectacular Minneapolis Fire Does \$175,000 Damage.

Minneapolis, Jan. 8.—With the mercury hovering around 22 below zero Minneapolis experienced a fire loss of more than \$175,000, the most disastrous conflagration since the destruction of the Syndicate block nine months ago, when the loss aggregated more than a million dollars. The Waterman-Waterbury building, owned by James J. Hill, was completely destroyed and with it the Continental hotel and saloon, owned by the Schlitz Brewing company. The fire was spectacular.

A Roar That Failed.

There is a playful apologue by Wendell Holmes about a great experiment on a universal scale. He describes mankind as arranging to combine on a certain New Year's eve to raise a shout in unison, to see if it would reach to Mars. It didn't, for the simple reason that when the crisis arrived there was no cry at all; everybody was too busy listening.

THEY FIGHT SHY OF NEW YORK

Neither Party Holds National Convention in Metropolis.

TOO CLOSE TO WALL STREET?

New York's Bid For Democratic Convention—Lack of Press Facilities In Far Western Cities—Lodge Twits the Doctors—Serenio Payne Lives Up to His Name.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.
Washington, Jan. 8.—[Special.]—It has been many years since New York was a candidate for a national convention. Both parties have fought shy of New York for fear that they would be subject to the charge of being controlled by the "money devil" or "Wall street influences" in making their nominations. Just why New York should be a candidate for the convention cannot be understood. There is not the remotest possibility of that city being chosen. Western people will see to it that the convention is held somewhere nearer the center of population.

Where Is Washington?
What is very surprising is that Washington has not put in a claim for the convention. It has been a quadrennial claim, but has been omitted this year. Of course there is no hall in which to hold the convention, but perhaps the pension office could be utilized, as it is every four years for the inaugural ball. After each inauguration Washington starts a big convention hall—on paper. The talk until it ends, and nothing is heard until there is the same old fight to make congress give up the pension office.

Far West Not Wanted.

There is always complaint about a far western city as a convention town. The newspapers cannot get enough telegraph wires to carry their reports. That was the complaint about Minneapolis in 1892 and Denver in 1908. Kansas City struggled through in 1900, but not without some complaint. The Democrats will probably go to Chicago or St. Louis this year.

Literature and Medicine.

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge has written more books than he has served terms in the senate, though he has been there since 1893. Recently he was poking a little fun at the medical profession for the benefit of Senator Gallinger, who is a physician.

"I am glad of my good health for several reasons," said Senator Lodge, "particularly because it keeps me out of the doctor's hands. I am thinking of writing a book on 'The Mistakes of Physicians.'"

"I suppose," said Senator Gallinger, "that you are afraid if you were operated on for appendicitis it would be discovered afterward that the trouble was not with your appendix, but your table of contents."

The Job That Failed.

The negroes of South Carolina look upon Senator Tillman as a sort of fairy godfather, and many of them come to him in Washington for help in connecting with the government payroll. About the opening of the session, Senator Tillman says, he got a place for a colored man with the District government. Not long ago, however, his constituent showed up at the senator's office looking for work.

"I thought I got you a job a month ago," said the senator.

"Yassir, you did, but it's played out."

"What have you been doing?"

"Well, suh, I was a sort of inspector of weeds in vacant lots, but when de fros' come it done killed all de weeds, an' I can't wait fob 'em to grow."

Why They Called Him Sereno.

Serenio Payne, the venerable and much loved author of the Payne tariff bill, is an apostle of good cheer. He was making his way from the house office building to the capitol one morning when the skies were lowering and a fine mist characteristic of Washington winter weather filled the air. He was joined by Morris Shepard, the curly haired member from Texas, who greeted him with:

"Good morning, Mr. Payne. This is a gloomy morning."

"It was until I saw you," said Mr. Payne.

"Thank you, Mr. Payne. I see you are called 'Serenio' advisedly."

"Oh, I guess they were simply trying to minimize the influence of my last name when they gave me my first," replied Mr. Payne, with his childlike smile.

Many Competent Officers.

The treasury department was looking over the captains of the revenue cutter service to find the best man to be made commandant. It was discovered that a dozen captains were equal in efficiency and were known as high grade officers. All of them had been long in the service, and all had performed their duties well. They were good seamen and handled every ship entrusted to them with skill and care. Any one of them might have been selected.

The department in deciding had to select from this efficient dozen a man who was a good administrative officer, for the head of the bureau had to understand that branch of work. It sometimes happens that the expert "paper" officer gets the revolving chair, while his more efficient brother, officer is kept on board ship.

An Early Cotton Mill.

A cotton mill was operated at Beverly, Mass., in 1787, but was very imperfect and soon closed.

MRS. W. K. VANDERBILT, SR.

Who Is to Establish Girls' Home as Part of Big Sister Movement.



PLANS GIRLS' FARM HOME

Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Sr., Soon to Announce Gift.

New York, Jan. 8.—Charitable workers representing Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Sr., will announce before long a gift from her for the establishment of a girls' home which is to be an adjunct to the work of the Big Sister movement in the interests of Protestant girls who appear in the children's court and the conditions of whose home life are such as to suggest an effort to put them in better surroundings.

It is understood she plans to duplicate the farm home an anonymous benefactor put at the disposal of the Big Brothers last October.

DESTROYER TERRY IN DISTRESS AT SEA

Navy Department Hurries Ships to Craft's Assistance.

New York, Jan. 8.—Wireless messages indistinctly received here reported the United States torpedo boat destroyer Terry in trouble. The vessel's position was given as a little northeast of Cape Hatteras. The steamer Tagus and the battleship South Carolina. No other details were received here.

Further wireless advices from vessels in communication with the Terry went to the effect that the destroyer's turbine engines and pumps were out of commission, that all her stores were ruined and her wireless apparatus not working.

A message received from the battleship South Carolina indicates the disabled craft is somewhat further north than reported by the Tagus in a previous message.

The Tagus left Hamilton, Bermuda, at 11 a. m. Saturday.

The revenue cutter Onondaga was reported by the South Carolina to be in the immediate vicinity of the Terry.

Washington, Jan. 8.—When the navy department learned that the torpedo boat destroyer Terry was in distress the powerful wireless station here flashed out orders for all United States war vessels to steam at once to the little craft's assistance. Instructions were given to the commander of the transport Prairie at Norfolk, Va., to sail at once and a wireless message was sent out intercepting the crippled scout cruiser Salem, which was turned back in the quest.

The Terry carries a crew of three officers and eighty-three men.

HEIR FOUND IN POORHOUSE

Balloon Keeper Made Destitute by Dry Law to Receive Legacy.

Ashtabula, O., Jan. 8.—While Albert Olson was being taken to the poorhouse at Kingsville to spend the winter a sister in Beloit, Wis., was seeking him to inform him that their father in Sweden had died, leaving him a third interest in a large estate. He was located in the poorhouse. He will go to Beloit and later to Sweden to claim the estate.

Olson left his home and came to America when a boy and for many years his whereabouts were unknown. He was the proprietor of a saloon here until the county went "dry," when he became destitute.

Cold Spell Breaks Records.

St. Paul, Jan. 8.—One death due to the cold, several persons severely frostbitten, and one theater unable to open for its matinee, because its attractions were on delayed trains, marked the eighth day of the cold spell, which has broken all records for duration in St. Paul since 1873, when the local weather bureau was established.

TO RECOMMEND BILL'S PASSAGE

SOCIALISTS EXPEL MAYOR

Read Out of Party Because He Refuses to Resign.

Lima, O., Jan. 8.—Mayor Corbin Shook, Socialist, who was charged with having repudiated an ante-election promise to resign if asked by a majority of the members of his party, was formally read out of the party at a Socialist mass meeting here. Safety Director Blank, who also had some in to the bad graces of his party, said he spoke for himself and other appointees and declared they would accept their positions despite the action of the local.

Their cases were referred to the legislative committee, which, it is expected, will act within a few days.

Mayor Shook got in the bad graces of his party because of several of his appointments.

BULLDOG DEADLY WEAPON

Illinois Justice Decides Status in Assault Charge.

Danville, Ill., Jan. 8.—Justice of the Peace H. J. Hall decided that a bulldog is a deadly weapon.

Mrs. Cleo Wilson went to the home of Mrs. Mary Hensley in Grape Creek, Mrs. Hensley, according to the testimony, sallied forth, reinforced by a bulldog.

Mrs. Wilson and other witnesses testified that Mrs. Hensley seized her by the hair and the bulldog seized her by the limb. She swore out a warrant charging Mrs. Hensley with assault with a deadly weapon, to wit, a bulldog, and Justice Hall held the defendant to the grand jury.

DR. MAYO LEAVES HOSPITAL

Surgeon Able to Stroll in New York Central Park.

New York, Jan. 8.—Dr. Charles H. Mayo of Rochester, Minn., who was operated on for appendicitis at the Presbyterian hospital Dec. 16 and seven days later for acute cholecystitis, with gallstones, has been discharged from the hospital cured.

He left the institution accompanied by his wife and went at once to the Hotel Netherlands. Dr. Mayo was feeling so well that when he reached the hotel he ate a hearty meal. Accompanied by Mrs. Mayo and an attendant he took a stroll in Central park.

TO REMODEL CONSTITUTION

Convention Will Open at Columbus Tuesday.

Columbus, O., Jan. 8.—The great state of Ohio will begin on Tuesday the reconstruction of the constitution. On that day a constitutional convention, recognized by all factions as preponderantly "progressive," if not radical, will convene in this city for a struggle in which hotly debated questions of the initiative and referendum, the recall of public officials, including the judiciary, and the liquor question, will overshadow all other proposals.

NEWS IN SUNDAY'S PAPERS

Congress soon to face problem of fixing tolls for Panama canal.

La Follette says if he had been president he would have called that panic bluff.

Reported an attempt is to be made to eliminate Woodrow Wilson from presidential race.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Jan. 6.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, \$1.08½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.07½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.04½; May, \$1.07½. Flax—On track, \$2.21; to arrive, \$2.19; Jan., \$2.19; May, \$2.20.

St. Paul Live Stock.

St. Paul, Jan. 6.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$6.00 to \$7.00; fair to good, \$5.00 to \$6.00; good to choice cows and heifers, \$4.75 to \$5.25; veals, \$6.00 to \$7.25. Hogs—\$5.70 to \$6.10. Sheep—Wethers, \$3.00 to \$4.00; yearlings, \$3.25 to \$3.50; spring lambs, \$4.50 to \$6.25.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Wheat—May, \$1.01½ to \$1.01¾; July, 95½c. Corn—May, 64½c; July, 64½c. Oats—May, 49½c; July, 45½c. Pork—Jan., \$15.90; May, \$16.30 to \$16.32. Butter—Creameries, 26 to 36c; dairies, 23 to 31c. Eggs—21 to 32½c. Poultry—Turkeys, 14 to 18½c; chickens, 12 to 13c; springs, 12c.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Jan. 6.—Wheat—May, \$1.08; July, \$1.08 to \$1.09. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.09½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.09; to arrive, \$1.09; No. 2 Northern, \$1.06½ to \$1.07; to arrive, \$1.06½ to \$1.07; No. 3 Northern, \$1.04 to \$1.04½; No. 3 yellow corn, 60c; No. 4 corn, 55 to 58c; No. 3 white oats, 46 to 46½c; to arrive, 46c; No. 3 oats, 43½ to 44½c; barley, 85c to \$1.30; flax, \$2.18; to arrive, \$2.18.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Cattle—Beeves, \$4.75 to \$8.50; Texas steers, \$4.25 to \$5.80; Western steers, \$4.30 to \$6.60; stockers and feeders, \$3.25 to \$5.70; cows and heifers, \$2.00 to \$6.40; calves, \$5.50 to \$8.50. Hogs—Light, \$5.95 to \$6.25; mixed, \$6.00 to \$6.35; heavy, \$6.00 to \$6.40; rough, \$6.00 to \$6.15; good to choice heavy, \$6.15 to \$6.40; pigs, \$4.90 to \$5.70. Sheep—Native, \$2.95 to \$4.60; yearlings, \$4.65 to \$5.80; lambs, \$4.25 to \$6.60.

House Committee Favors Children's Bureau Measure.

SIMILAR ACTION IN SENATE

Proposed Bureau Will Be Under the Jurisdiction of the Department of Commerce and Labor and Will Collect Data Concerning Infant Mortality, Child Labor, Delinquency, Illiteracy, Blindness and Other Kindred Subjects.

Washington, Jan. 8.—On the theory that the federal government should investigate the problem of child life as well as the diseases of animals, plants and trees, the house committee on education and labor has determined to report favorably the Peters bill providing for the creation of a children's bureau.

The proposed bureau will be an adjunct of the department of commerce and labor and will be charged with the duty of collecting information concerning infant mortality, child labor, delinquency, illiteracy, blindness and kindred subjects. This information will be made available for the use of the several states in dealing locally with the problems affecting the children of the country.

The senate committee on education has reported a similar bill, introduced by Senator Borah, and this bill is now upon the senate calendar. It probably will be called up by the Idaho senator within the next few days. The children's bureau bill passed the senate during the Sixty-first congress, but failed to reach a vote in the house.

Work Entirely Advisory.

Advocates of the bill in both the senate and the house are prepared to meet any arguments that may be raised by the believers in state's rights. When the bill passed the senate in February last this issue arose, but was dropped when friends of the measure demonstrated that it is not intended that the government shall usurp any of the functions of the sovereign states, but that the work of the federal government shall be entirely in an advisory capacity.

Prominent educators, sociologists, scientists and government officials have urged the creation of a children's bureau, which, it is estimated, will not cost more than \$30,000 per annum for maintenance. In comparison it is pointed out that the federal government is now spending \$25,000 annually for the study of the diseases of plants and that the bureau of animal industry, under the department of agriculture, requires an annual appropriation of approximately \$1,700,000.

Miss Jane Addams, president of Hull House, Chicago, and one of the most noted women of the country, declared that the creation of a children

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A week has passed, are you still securely seated on the water wagon?

Alvah Eastman will have no opposition from the progressive wing in his candidacy for congressman at large, the recent committee meeting at Minneapolis having decided that they would not put a candidate in the field.

According to the Swanville News a Pequot young lady says "It's simply the greatest ever." She took the advice contained in a local merchant's advertisement and bought her beau a shaving set. Probably she wanted to just smooth matters a little for an active leap year campaign.

The editorials of the Chisholm Tribune-Herald are of three kinds, those that begin with small caps, the ones in which the first word is capitalized and the ordinary lower case kind, and they are all good. Bro. Arneson starts out this week by saying that "No poor loser ought to get mixed up in the game of politics."

"Sam" Lord says the committee must have got the two Sam's mixed up as it was Sam Gordon the progressive republicans intended to hand the offer of the governorship to, which would indicate that Senator Lord has no intentions of resigning from the tax commission—and no desire to become their candidate for the governorship.

Charles L. Lewis, late justice of the supreme court, announces that he has resumed the practice of law at Duluth. Judge Lewis is considered one of the able attorneys at the head of the lakes and his many friends throughout the state will be pleased to note that upon retirement from the supreme court bench he has resumed active practice.

There are those in this community who will immediately begin preparations to fire up their heating plants and lay in an extra allowance of fuel at the next appearance of moon dogs. If the brilliant exhibition of these dogs just previous to the cold snap now prevalent in the northwest had anything to do with the weather it is suggested that they be muzzled.

The Alexandria Post-News very truly remarks that the progressive movement in Minnesota would have been more widespread today had a similar policy to that taken by the Ohio progressives been pursued. In the latter state principles were declared for but the candidacy of LaFollette was laid on the shelf, the convention refusing to commit themselves.

A young man residing at Litchfield

after spending a few days in Minneapolis saw a real live robin sitting on a fence just outside the city limits as he returned to his home by wagon road. This was on Saturday and the thermometer registered 23 below, which would indicate that after spending a few days in that city in real cold weather a man is liable to see almost anything. Can you beat it?

There is talk in political circles that W. R. Mackenzie will become a candidate for the nomination as secretary of state before the next republican convention against Julius Schmah. It is argued that the geographical location of Mackenzie's home is correct, that his nationality considering candidates for other positions on the ticket, is correct and that the present incumbent has held the position for three terms. In any event the Bemidji man is well posted on Minnesota and her needs and has done a whole lot of boosting for the state during the past few years.

The recent cold snap has been productive of many new political deals, evidently hatched in the warm sanctum of the political writers while their authors waited for the weather to reach that stage which would admit of their running down real rumors. One of these has been the story that Senator Nelson will be a candidate for re-election and after this happens he will resign. When this happens the governor will resign his office, the lieutenant governor will become governor and the real governor will be elected to the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of the United States senator. This reads nice and there are those who believe it is the real goods. However, Senator Nelson will never impose on the people who have honored him in the past, and if he is elected again he will serve the people of Minnesota in the halls of the National congress to the end of his term, life and health permitting.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Mamie Cosgrove went to Staples today.

A. E. Whitney returned home from Little Falls on Saturday.

Mrs. D. N. Price, of Deerwood, was a Brainerd visitor today.

T. F. Cole, of Deerwood, was in the city on business Saturday.

"She" is at the Grand tonight.

Henry I. Cohen has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

The Womans Union Label league has a meeting this evening.

W. J. Hutchins is attending to business matters in Barrows.

Turkish baths at Ridley's Gymnasium. 1611

F. E. Nemec, of the Princess Theatre Co., of St. Cloud, was in the city Saturday.

Miss Marjorie Baillie left Tuesday for a visit with friends in Brainerd.

E. O. Webb went to the Twin Cities today to attend to important business matters.

Ben Olson went to St. Paul today to resume his studies at the Stone optical school.

Miss Geraldine Fleming returned today to her studies at the University of Minnesota.

John Japp, a resident of Todd county, was brought before Justice Randall Wednesday charged with killing partridges out of season and shipping them from the station at Cushing. The defendant pleaded not guilty and the case was continued to Jan. 11 and the prisoner released on bail. The charge was made by Game Warden W. H. Onstine, of Brainerd.

Julius Rink, aged 35, and single, passed away at a local hospital Sunday evening at six o'clock. He had been sick two months with cancer of the stomach. The deceased was the owner of a farm near Dykeman in Garrison township and lived near his parents. Fifteen years ago he came to Crow Wing county from Cleveland, Ohio, and has made his home at Dykeman since that time. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rink; his three brothers, Ervants Rink, Richard Rink and John Rink; his two sisters, Mrs. J. L. Davis and Mrs. Anton Link. No funeral announcement has been made until all members of the family can be communicated with. The deceased was a member of the German Lutheran Zion's church, 423 North Tenth street and the funeral will no doubt be held from this church. The sympathy of their many friends is extended to the family in its sad bereavement.

Attorney C. A. Russell went to Park Rapids today where he will try a case before Judge Wright.

P. J. Youngdahl, state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, returned today to Minneapolis.

Miss Nana Norin went to Minneapolis today to resume her studies at the University of Minnesota.

William Bieging has gone to Motley to "look for trouble" for the Northwestern Telephone Exchange Co.

Remember to see "SHE" at the Grand tonight.

Arthur Welch and Richard Bush went to St. Paul today where they will attend the Nichols business college.

Although it may be 30 below outside Sunny Coffrain has an electric fan running in the barber shop window.

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Harry Murphy, Kenneth Ribbel and Richard Ilse returned today to their studies at the University of Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Guernsey, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Koop, returned today to their home in Jamestown, N. D.

H. U. Hetting, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Copper-smith and son Elmer R. Hetting, went to Minneapolis this afternoon.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT

Slander Case is on Trial This Afternoon—Motion For New Trial in Hill Case

After the jury brought in a verdict of guilty in the Matt Hill case, the defendant's attorneys, Russell & Barron, gave notice of a motion for a new trial.

The case of the Parks Safety Window Balance & Lock Co. vs Charles L. Lasher went to the jury this morning.

The case of Julia Sand vs Simon Neimala, an action for slander, is on trial this afternoon.

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Pretty Dirty.

Once a year the newboys of London are given an outing some place on the Thames river where they can swim to their hearts' content. As one little boy was getting into the water his little friend said:

"Johnnie, you're pretty dirty!"
"Yes," replied Johnnie. "I missed the train last year."—Success Magazine.

Ethel—Papa, if a lion should swallow me should I die?
Papa—Of course, dear!
Ethel—And should I go to heaven?
Papa—Being such a good little girl, you certainly would.
Ethel—And would the lion have to go too?

Charles Durham, Lovington, Ill., has succeeded in finding a positive cure for bed wetting. "My little boy wet the bed every night clear thro' on the floor. I tried several kinds of kidney medicine and I was in the drug store looking for something different to help him when I heard of Foley Kidney Pills. After he had taken them two days we could see a change and when he had taken two thirds of a bottle he was cured. That is about six weeks ago and he has not wet in bed since." For sale by all druggists. mwf

Sudden Change.

Patience—I guess Will thinks I'm changeable.

Patience—Why so?
"Because he first called me a peach, and then he said I was a pippin."—Yonkers Statesman.

Familiar Quotations.

One of the most familiar quotations from the Bible which are not to be found there upon research is "the lion lying down with the lamb." The spirit of the reference is correct enough, but turn up the passage in Isaiah and you will find: "The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid, and the calf and the young lion and the fattening together." The popular mind has condensed the zoological miscellany, and to the incorrect version alliteration has no doubt contributed.—Exchange.

Wanted a Chance.

"I thought you said when we were married that ours would be a life partnership," she said.
"So I did, my dear," he replied. "But I didn't insist on my being the silent partner."—Detroit Free Press.

Moving.

"Where were you day before yesterday?"
"I was helping my wife to move."
"And yesterday?"
"Had the doctor helping me."—Exchange.

Corrected.

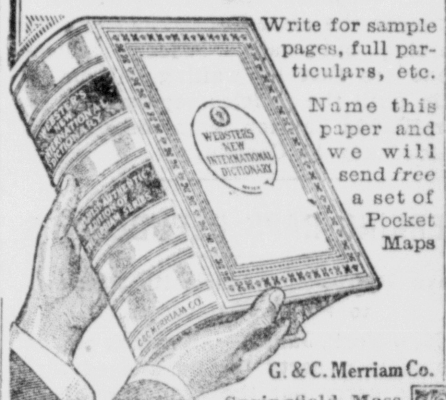
The Artist—Just a little daub of mine, you see, dear madam. Miss Gush (grudgingly)—Oh, no! You are entirely too modest. I should call it quite a big daub.—Puck.

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ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE'S DAY

Addresses Delivered Sunday in Pulpits of Seven Church by Exponents of the League

MASS MEETING AT OPERA HOUSE

P. J. Youngdahl and A. H. Clarke Arraign the Saloon and the Brewers

Sunday was the field day for the Anti-Saloon league in Brainerd and seven church pulpits heard the ringing speeches of the exponents of the league. P. J. Youngdahl, the state superintendent of the league, spoke at the Seventh Street Norwegian Lutheran church. A. H. Clarke, the superintendent of the northeast district, spoke at the First Congregational church. C. W. Stark, the legislative superintendent, delivered an address at the First Methodist church. W. H. Miller, the special lecturer, was the speaker at the Baptist church. M. Martinson, the business manager, spoke at the Swedish Lutheran church. C. Walden, the field secretary, was the speaker at the Swedish Baptist church.

Mr. Youngdahl also spoke at the Y. M. C. A. in the afternoon and at the Peoples Congregational church last evening.

The mass meeting was called for the opera house and although the enthusiasm of the audience was great the temperature of the house was cold and although heat streamed from the registers it proved to be a difficult matter to warm the house while the thermometer hovered around 30 below.

A. H. Clarke was the first speaker. "The saloon," said Mr. Clarke, "is an evil. Intoxicating liquor is not a good thing. Men right in the liquor business, when you talk confidentially with them, will admit its evil. But what are we going to do about it? No results can be gained simply by singing 'Onward Christian Soldiers' or by orations on this platform. We need all our strength to fight this great power of liquor which our law has said is a moral wrong. It takes rare patriotism, good courage and generous sacrifice to win this fight. We must elect men who stand for morality. You will never have a good government no matter what its form is unless you elect good men to office. Up to a recent date the liquor interests have been exercising political freedom while the temperance people have been tramping around a beaten path like an eagle tied to a stake.

"The anti-saloon league believes in county option. It believes in law enforcement. The lack of law enforcement is one of the great difficulties to contend with in this country. The whole criminal law of the United States is not enforced to the letter. President Taft has well said that our enforcement of criminal law is a disgrace to civilization."

He compared the saloon keeper and the aversion to his business as exemplified by the Irishman who said he had personally nothing against the bed bug but he didn't like the way the bug made his living. "In this fight the anti-saloon league has no personal matters to thresh out with the brewer or saloon keeper. They are simply fighting the iniquitous system."

P. J. Youngdahl, the state superintendent of the league, then addressed the audience. He apologized for the cold and for keeping his audience waiting. "This," said Mr. Youngdahl, "is my fourth speech to-day and you must pardon me if I repeat some things. I am in the same position as was Dr. Clemens when he was removed from one charge to another. A lady went to the daughter of the worthy minister and asked Miss Irma if her father ever preached the same sermon twice. The little girl in her desire to be truthful and to be loyal to her father at the same time, said: 'Well, he preaches the same sermon twice sometimes but he changes it by hollering in different places.' So you will pardon me if I holler in different places when giving you the substance of addresses made previously.

"This is an age of conservation. It is the watchword of the day. We hear so much of it that sometimes it sounds like conversation. I believe in conserving every burned stump which the lumber trust neglected to extract.

"It is not the timber, ore or water power the state of Minnesota has which have made us wealthy and happy, but it is the sturdy, healthy, able, willing people who have gone into the woods, the mines and fields and by their energy transformed the raw material to articles of commerce that have made this state what it is. We believe it is worth still more to preserve this energy. We maintain that the saloon violates every principle of ethics and the spirit of conservation.

"The saloon is opposed to the up building of the race." Mr. Youngdahl then described productive and unproductive labor. From the community's point of view non-productive labor is dangerous. The saloon business is non-productive. It unfits a man for service.

"Brainerd looked prosperous and had fine buildings. Prosperity was not measured by the number of saloons but by the stores, groceries, hotels, shops, etc., in the town.

"The saloon in this twentieth century is doomed. The average drinking man drinks ten times as much because of the treating habit of his associates and the bartender. The dollar which buys booze does not buy shoes. To feed the saloon, a non-producer, you turn money from the legitimate channels of trade to the saloon.

"The saloon is today the most damnable and vicious force in Minnesota politics and Minnesota politics have been rotten the last twenty years. The selfish interests have pooled their demands and voted against the common people."

He asserted that the Twin City Rapid Transit Co., the brewers, lumber barons, railway and steel interests combined their votes when any one of them was powerless to combat a proposed law. If county option threatened the brewers the others traded their votes to be pulled out of a hole when they were similarly in need of help. When a semi-monthly pay day bill loomed on the horizon for the Twin City Rapid Transit Co., they went to the others for votes to help them fight the measure.

"The rights and privileges of the people have been traded away. That is why we did not get reappointment or labor legislation. And the king pin of this all is the brewers' organization. The liquor business violates honor, manhood, decency and right living."

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

SWEDISH LUTHERANS TO BUILD IN SPRING

Congregation Plans to Erect a Modern Church Edifice to Cost From \$10,000 to \$12,000

WILL SELL THE OLD BUILDING

Building Committee Appointed—Young Peoples Society Raising Money for Organ and Bell

At the annual meeting of the Swedish Lutheran church the congregation and minister decided to build a new church edifice on the site of the old church at the corner of Broadway and Norwood streets at a cost of from \$10,000 to \$12,000.

A building committee was chosen and its personnel is Attorney G. S. Swanson, chairman; C. A. Erickson, Victor Carlson, A. G. Anderson and Alfred Linn. This committee recently held a meeting and Attorney Swanson was appointed to sell the old church at the best possible price.

The initial steps were taken towards securing suitable plans for the new church. The structure will probably be of brick and construction will commence as soon as weather conditions permit this spring.

Activity and enthusiasm pervades the whole congregation. The Young Peoples society is raising money to purchase a bell and to install a pipe organ in the church. One half the amount needed has already been raised and is now in the treasury of the society.

BROKEN RAIL DITCHES TRAIN

Passengers and others on Northern Pacific train, No. 7, traveling west from St. Paul claim a broken rail was struck at three o'clock Sunday morning near Randall west of Little Falls and one sleeper was overturned and all coaches derailed except the engine, mail and baggage car.

No one was killed and none seriously injured.

All coast trains abandoned the cut off between Staples and Little Falls for 12 hours, running via Brainerd until the main line tracks were repaired.

That the accident was not so very serious is shown by the story a drummer told. He was sleeping in an upper berth and the shock threw him into the next berth and he calmly slept on and never awakened until the porter dug him out of the overturned coach.

Inquiries at the local offices failed to elicit any information and the invariable answer was that nothing was known about the wreck. Miss Katherine Howland, a teacher of the public schools, came from St. Paul after the tracks were cleared and said the train traveled very slowly on the cut off, taking four hours to go 30 miles.

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DOCTORS TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

Tenth Meeting of the Upper Mississippi Medical Society Will be Held in City Tuesday

DR. L. TAYLOR IS EXPECTED

Clinics at the Northern Pacific and St. Josephs Hospitals—Important Papers to be Read

The tenth annual meeting of the Upper Mississippi Medical society will be held in this city Tuesday, January 9.

Clinics will be held at the Northern Pacific and St. Joseph hospitals. At the evening session important papers will be read as follows:

"President's Annual Address," by Dr. Paul Kenyon, of Wadena.

"Clinical Methods, Clinic," by Dr. L. B. Ohlinger, of the State Sanatorium near Walker.

"Office Management of Minor Injuries," by Dr. F. H. Allen, of Staples.

The banquet of the society will be held in the evening and as these annual gatherings of the society are always important and full of interest to the members, a large attendance is looked for. One of the distinguished guests will be Dr. Longstreet Taylor, of St. Paul, an expert on tubercular diseases.

FORMER BRAINERDITE DEAD

Telegram From Los Angeles Brings News of Fatal Boiler Explosion in that City

Milton McFadden is in receipt of a telegram from Duncan McDonald at Los Angeles, California, informing him that H. R. Dixon, formerly a machinist in the employ of the Northern Pacific railroad company here, had been killed in a boiler explosion in that city. The deceased was a member of Ascalon Commandery 16, Knights Templar, of Brainerd, which lodge took up by wire arrangements for burial with the local Commandery at Los Angeles.

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SERVICES OPEN TONIGHT

First Meeting of Three Weeks' Religious Services to be Held at Methodist Church Tonight

The three weeks' union religious services in connection with the Presbyterian, Congregational, Baptist, Methodist, Episcopal and the Seventh Street Norwegian Lutheran churches of the city, will commence this evening at 7:45 at the First Methodist Episcopal church.

The preacher of the hour will be the Rev. W. J. Lowrie of the Presbyterian church, who will be followed by the Rev. G. P. Sheridan, of the Congregational church with a brief address.

There will be a brief song service before the sermon, and those in charge of the services have announced that there will be special music each evening, and most probably the choir of the Seventh Street Norwegian Lutheran church will furnish the music this evening.

The theme of the sermon tonight will be: "Steps to the Christ," by the Rev. W. J. Lowrie. A most hearty invitation is extended to all interested to be on hand.

CENT A POUND FOR WOOD

At that Price the Recent Cold Snap Would Have Put Your Bank Account in Red Ink

You residents of Northern Minnesota who have been holding the weather up to scorn where wood and other fuel is plenty will feel some somewhat better when you find that in some other countries wood brings one cent a pound and teachers and others have to work in rooms where the thermometers register 35 degrees and study rooms at 50 above. The Elk River Star-News says:

"A recent letter from E. M. Atkins, Ezzeroom, Turkey, says: 'I am so glad to get the thermometers, for I find that in three years I have become acclimated so I can study comfortably in a room at 50 degrees. So I have hopes that in another three years I will get over suffering so in the class rooms which we keep at about 35 degrees. Wood is higher than ever. It is a cent a pound now and may be more. Weigh a few sticks and see how long you think a dollar will keep my room warm.'"

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SOCIAL EVENTS

The anniversary of the birthday of J. A. McColl was celebrated last evening at his home on North 7th street by a dinner given to a few friends, covers being laid for six. The decorations for the table were in keeping with the event, the centerpiece being a large birthday cake decorated with lighted red tapers, while places were found by tiny individual cakes, each bearing a single taper, and the name cards of a winter scene done in water colors were attached to the cakes by silver cord. At the close of the dinner Mr. McColl was surprised by a shower of gifts, some humorous, others most substantial. The guests, leaving after a pleasant event spent with music and conversation, wished their host "Many happy returns of the day."

Mrs. Howard G. Ingersoll entertained at a five o'clock tea party Thursday afternoon and twelve ladies were present. This is the second of a series of teas which Mrs. Ingersoll is giving.

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At the Grand

Paul Goeltz, the singer and lecturer, who for the past few months has been pleasing the audiences at the Grand, left last night for Detroit where he will manage a theatre for the Princess Theatre Circuit Co., the owners of the Grand of this city. During his stay here Mr. Goeltz has made many friends who will be pleased to know that his departure is in the way of promotion.

Al. Mraz, the well known local singer, will ably take the place as singer at the Grand and the patrons may look forward to some very pleasing entertainment in the line of songs as well as pictures.

The Bojars of Russia.

Bojars held exclusively the highest military and civic offices in Russia and were so universally looked up to by the mass of the people that the most powerful rulers, even Ivan the Cruel, considered it prudent to use this form of expression in their ukases: "The emperor has ordered it; the Bojars have approved it."—New York Telegram.

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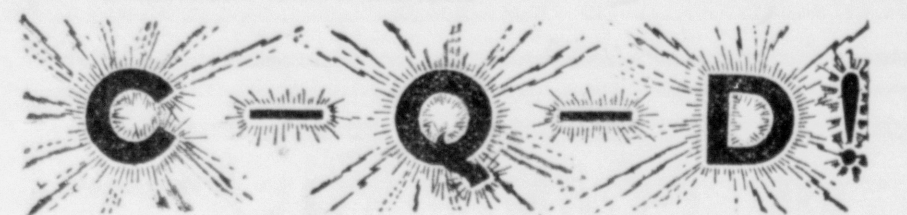
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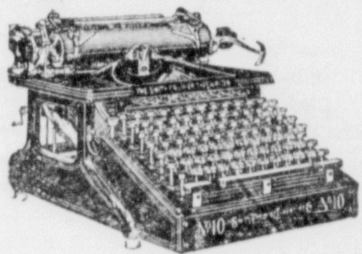


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A Word About Mothers. The average mother is very good to her daughter—too good, and that is where the trouble lies. Unselfish mothers, as a rule, breed selfish children, girls and boys, who take it for granted that she should skimp and sacrifice and save so that they may be better educated and better dressed than the woman who gave them birth. They may have erred through affection, but should they be repaid by neglect?

Every girl who ignores her mother is going to grow up to be like her mother if she lives long enough. Perhaps she, too, will have daughters, and perhaps they may grow up to give her scant affection and less attention than the now bestows upon the woman who is her best friend.

Mothers and daughters go together by one of the inevitable arrangements of nature. Deference to mothers not only sweetens life to them, but does honor to the girl who thus honors them.

LAUGHTER.

"He who laughs," said the mother of Goethe, "can commit no deadly sin." Sterne declares that every laugh lengthens our lease of life. Even the cold and cynical Carlyle declares, in his extreme fashion, that "no man who has heartily and wholly laughed can be altogether irreclaimably depraved," and Sydney Smith said, "God has given us wit and flavor and brightness and laughter and perfumes to enliven the days of man's pilgrimage and to charm his pained steps over the burning marl."

His Temporary Name.

"What name have you given your last born, Dick?" asked a southern man of a negro in his employ. "Me an' mah wife has decided to call him Elijah Pro Tem Morgan," answered the negro, with an air of pride. "Why Pro Tem?" "Dat's to show dat de middle name is only temporary, sah," explained the fond parent. "We kinder thought Elijah might like to choose his own name when he growed up, an' so we throwed in Pro Tem to show him whar to put 'em."—St. Louis Republic.

FORGET YOUR GRUDGE.

Get rid of that grudge you are nursing. The ranking of a single old grudge is sufficient to poison a life. We must get rid of it in some way, not simply prune it down to a decent condition of resentment, but cut it out altogether, as a surgeon would remove a growth, if we are ever to know mental health and peace.

The Worst of It.

"I'm sorry you have got to leave Eden and go to work simply because I gave you the rest of that apple," said contrite Eve. "Never mind," answered Adam. "The ultimate consumer always gets the worst of it."—Washington Star.

MELLIN'S HAS LARGEST SALE

"When my baby was three weeks old, I was taken with Typhoid Fever and had to raise him on the bottle. We tried many kinds of food. He was so weak he could not stand milk. He was nothing but a skeleton when he was born and weighed ten and one-half pounds when three months old. We went to a large drug store and asked what kind of baby food they sold the most of, and they told us Mellin's Food. I have used it ten weeks and now my baby weighs 23 pounds. He could not have lived much longer without Mellin's Food, and it was the only thing that agreed with him."

Mrs. Robt. Fardon, Stevens Point, Wis. Write today for a free sample. MELLIN'S FOOD CO. - BOSTON, MASS.

1911 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

The Dispatch publishes herewith the personal property taxes for the year 1911 taking the names alphabetically in Brainerd and when this city's list is completed, taking up the lists in the various townships. The Brainerd list follows herewith: (CONTINUED)

Dade, A. L.	1.09
Duluth Brew. Co.	57.85
Davison, J. H.	2.11
Drogseth, Anton	1.52
Dunn, H. P.	125.92
Downie, M. W.	4.57
Dority, James	2.26
Davis, J. C.	7.18
Davis, Miss Cora	1.09
Dunn-Parker Corp. Co.	39.15
Day, Ed.	4.00
Drapeau, Henry	15.00
Donovan, P. W.	2.55

Ebner, F. E.	7.92
Echo Dairy Co.	8.96
Erickson, Dr. W. A.	32.19
Elder, J. M.	33.71
Engelke, Albert	6.96
Ernst, John	2.83
Ernst, J. P.	2.40
Elder, J. H.	.26
Engel, Rev. J. H.	.31
Everett, A.	5.44
Eastling, W. A.	2.83
English, Miss Elsie	1.09
Elvig, Henry	1.09
Ebinger, George	39.15
Ebinger, David	11.22
Engbreton, S. E.	1.61
Enemark, A. H.	7.61
Erickson, Andrew	.74
Erickson, Aug. J.	1.70
Erickson, W. E.	4.35
Erickson, Mrs. Selma	.44
Erickson, Alfred	1.74
Erickson Bros.	35.70
Erickson, A. F.	1.09
Erickson, O. G.	1.00
Erickson, J. A.	3.70
Ebinger, Henry	2.09
Engen, Miss Christine	1.09
Eckholm, E.	2.60
Entriiken, W. E.	1.74
Engelholm, Carl	.65
Empress Theatre So.	6.52
Edwards, Harry	3.05
Edwards, O.	3.57
Eastman, C. W.	4.78
Erb, Mrs. Ina	.87
Erickson, A.	4.35
Erickson, P. A.	.35
Erickson, C. A.	2.17
Engelhart, F. J.	.21

Frazier, Mrs. Ruth	1.09
Farrar, F. A.	24.58
Frederick, Dr. J. L.	27.53
Fall, Andrew	2.40
Fisher, A. T.	7.57
Fisher-Vaughn Co.	18.92
Forsythe, Geo. L.	4.87
Flanagan, Joe	7.09
Falkenreich, Chas.	1.09
Fleming, W. A.	12.50
Fullerton, D. K.	4.78
Frampton, Walter	1.09
Forsberg, Elmer	1.09
Fenske, Miss Martha	1.09
Field, C. O.	2.00
Fox, George	.66
Frieker, Phillip	2.00
Falkenreich, Wm.	2.40
Forsythe, George	9.35
Funk, Anton	2.61
Fitzger Brew. Co.	47.85
Framling, Z.	4.78
Fitzharris, W. E.	6.00
Finne, Arthur	.44
First National Bank	1439.80
Fray, David	1.00
Fox, Oscar R.	1.17
Fox, Albert	1.48
Fox, Chas. A.	1.52
Fogelstrom, P. G.	1.09
Favrou, John	1.78
Fenske, Wm.	1.50
Fisher-Vaughn Co.	1.80

How's This

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

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All Doing the Same.

"What is he so angry at you for?" "I haven't the slightest idea. We met on the street and we were talking just as friendly as could be when all of a sudden he flared up and tried to lick me."

"And what were you talking about?" "Oh, just ordinary small talk. I remember he said, 'I always kiss my wife three or four times every day.'"

"And what did you say?" "I said, 'I know at least a dozen men who do the same,' and then he had a fit."—Houston Post.

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Cloaks, price \$12.00 to \$20.00, now	\$7.50
Cloaks, price \$16.00 to \$25.00, now	\$12.50

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Dress Goods, 65c quality at per yd.	.37 1/2c
Dress Goods, \$1 and \$1.25 quality, per yd	.79c

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WANTS

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HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Kitchen girl at the Ransford. 18312

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 507 Kingwood St. 18214

FOR RENT—One furnished and one unfurnished flat in the Pearce block. 16314

FOR RENT—Large front room, well heated, electric lighted, with board at Palace hotel. 18113

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—40 acres fine land in section 12-43-31 price \$600, easy terms. Smith Bros., Brainerd, Minn. 18214

FOR SALE—The Swedish Lutheran church building, corner Norwood and 8th streets. Inquire of G. S. Swanson, or at parsonage. 17916

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Copies of the Brainerd Dispatch (weekly) of Oct. 20th. 25 cents will be paid for each copy. Bring to the Dispatch office.

ENGINEERING

F. A. GLASS—Mining Engineer and Surveyor. Direction of Explorations, surveys, plans, estimates reports.

THE HIDDEN LIGHT.

Remember, if the cloud is over you, that there is a bright light always on the other side; also that the time is coming, either in this world or the next, when that cloud will be swept away and the fullness of God's light and wisdom poured around you. Everything which has befallen you, whatever sorrow your heart bleeds with, nothing is wanting but to see the light that actually exists waiting to be revealed, and you will be satisfied.—Bushnell.

Amber Colors.

Amber is found in various colors besides yellow—black, white, brown and green.

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Your Reputation and Money Are Back of This Offer.

We pay for all the medicine used during the trial, if our remedy fails to completely relieve you of constipation. We take all the risk. You are not obligated to us in any way whatever, if you accept our offer. Could anything be more fair for you? Is there any reason why you should hesitate to put your claims to a practical test? A most scientific, common-sense treatment is Rexall Orderlies, which are eaten like candy. They are very pronounced, gentle and pleasant in action, and particularly agreeable in every way. They do not cause diarrhoea, nausea, flatulence, griping, or other inconvenience. Rexall Orderlies are particularly good for children, aged and delicate persons. We urge you to try Rexall Orderlies at our risk. Three sizes, 10c, 25c, and 50c. Remember, you can get Rexall Remedies in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store. Johnson's Pharmacy

Application for Liquor License

To the Council of the City of Brainerd, Minnesota: The undersigned, George Anderson, hereby makes application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, at and in the room and premises described as follows, to-wit: No. 216 South 5th street, on the ground floor, in the City of Brainerd from February 7th, 1912, until February 7th, 1913. (Signed) GEORGE ANDERSON. Said applicant has never been licensed to sell intoxicating liquors. Notice is hereby given that a hearing on the above application will be had on February 5th, 1912, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Brainerd. Dated January 6th, 1912. V. N. RODERICK, City Clerk. Jan. 8-15

In the District Court of the United States For the District of Minnesota, Fifth Division

In the matter of William Guelker, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy. To the creditors of William Guelker of the Village of Deerwood, in the county of Crow Wing, and District aforesaid: Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1912, the said William Guelker was duly adjudged a bankrupt and the first meeting of creditors will be held at Suite 604 Palladio Bldg., Duluth, Minnesota, on Monday, the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the creditors may attend, prove their claims and appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. Dated at Duluth, Minn., Jan. 3, 1912. WILLIAM O. PEALER, Referee in Bankruptcy. H. E. PETERSON, Attorney for Bankrupt, Deerwood, Minn.

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